Disasters Call for Heroes. Answer the Call.

The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services is pleased to announce Show-Me Response, a Registry of Volunteer Healthcare Professionals www.ShowMeResponse.org

The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, Center for Emergency Response and Terrorism (CERT), manages *Show-Me Response*, an online registration program for healthcare professionals who are interested in volunteering in the event of a natural disaster or other large-scale public health crisis in Missouri. During a public emergency, healthcare volunteers are essential to help coordinate and deliver services for medical treatment, medication dispensing, immunization, counseling, special needs sheltering, and more.

When volunteers register for *Show-Me Response*, they make themselves available for contact in the event of a disaster should their area of expertise be needed. Once contacted, each volunteer will be able to choose the type and level of participation, or decline the mission. The system is safe and secure, and any information a volunteer provides will be privacy protected.

Show-Me Response will collect and check licensing and credential information so data can be readily available for the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services staff to assist in the notification and activation of qualified medical volunteers.

Healthcare professionals can register as volunteers on the *Show-Me Response* web site at www.ShowMeResponse.org.

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Become a volunteer. Go to <u>www.ShowMeResponse.org</u> and help in times of public crisis.